The Kingdom of God is warm. A warm feeling we have as we gather in worship. We are a people who laugh and cry together. It is a warm feeling to be connected with one another.

The Kingdom of God is babies, children, youth, and adults whose lives are open to God’s possibilities.

Let us continue to live so the world will see God’s Kingdom and experience God’s love.

Shalom
Pastor Dale

Contact Information Update

Our church is in the process of installing the PhoneTree system, similar to the School System uses, to better contact and notify our church members.

The first wave of response was just great. Thank you for providing your phone numbers and email addresses to update our records. This will enable us to make this PhoneTree system work better for us, and be able to set up an email system to send out notices as well. However, we still need to update more phone numbers and email addresses (if you use the email).

If you have not notified the church office with your updated phone numbers and email addresses, please call the church office at 365-6324, or email the church office at SCUMC@volstate.net with changes in your contact information. And please indicate the best number to be used to reach you.

Thank you.

Rosalind Booker (Abby Mae’s Hill, 365-6530)
Kathleen Reece (Spring City Care and Rehab # 206A)
• Gerri Cash  • Christina Jordan  • June Pitman
• Ray Eldridge  • Steve Keylon  • Billy Ray
• Lorene Fourman  • Russell Lemons  • Thurmam
• Martin Hatcher  • Scott Messimer  • Eleanor Trail
• Carl Hesselbach  • Regina Metts

Kitty Baxter (friend of the Gilliam Family)
Savannah Dill (friend of the Miko’s)
Mark Harwood (daughter of Helen Kincannon)
Carolyn Hesselbach (daughter of Carl & Kay Hesselbach)
Jan Higgins (friend of Frank & Vickie, and Jeannette)
Donna Keaton (friend of Sam Hanson)
Carl Kingsbury (cousin of David Eicher)
Naomi Lane (friend of Pastor Dale)
Noka McDonald (mother of Barry “Blue” McDonald)
Ann Rohr (friend of Mary Drinkard and many others)
David Rosenbaum (step son-in-law of Marilyn Peterson)
Lucy Thurman (sister of Loretta Hale)

The Family of Billy Lloyd Lavender (son of Bill & Joyce Lavender)
The Family of Mary Jo Beasley
The Family of Rebecca Carwile (sister of Joan Carty)

Please remember the first of every month to call with an update if you wish a name to remain on the prayer list.

† Rosalind Booker
celebrating 87th birthday.

† Virginia Hale visiting
Rosalind in Spring City Rehab.
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**MAY 2010**

**SATURDAY**

8:00 - 12:00 UMW FLEA MARKET - FLC

**SUNDAY**

9:45 a.m. - Children’s Choir
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School
10:45 a.m. - Coffee & Donuts
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship

3:00 p.m. - Youth Adults
6:00 p.m. - Bible Study
6:00 p.m. - Youth

**Monday**

8:30 MDO
6:00 Youth - FLC
6:00 Ding-A-Lings
7:00 Choir

**Tuesday**

8:30 MDO
12:00 Women’s Club Luncheon - FLC
8:00 Youth - FLC
6:00 Ding-A-Lings
7:00 Choir

**Wednesday**

6:30 UMW - FLC
7:00 Choir

**Thursday**

6:30 Prayer Shawl Ministry
7:00 Scouts - FH

**Friday**

5:00 COMMUNITY DINNER - FLC
6:00 Youth - FLC
6:00 Ding-A-Lings
7:00 Choir

**Saturday**

6:00 Ding-A-Lings
7:00 Choir

**Deadline for “Let’s Do Lunch” Reservations**

**Memorial Day Office Closed**
“April in Paris” was another great theme for the luncheon. Eldeena Perry provided us a memorable musical entertainment, as usual, by playing familiar French café music we all recognize and enjoy.

Nous vous remercions pour un délicieux quiche, Margo!

Merci beaucoup, Eldeena!
**EASTER FESTIVAL**

Easter Bunny was busy entertaining the children at this year’s Easter Festival. Did they find all the hidden eggs?

**HOP-A-THOH 2010**

Sincere thanks to everyone who contributed to our annual Hop-A-Thon this year. It was a tremendous success, and we have collected $1,061.75 with your help!

This money will be used to better our program. The new MDO fence that was just installed around the Sonshine House was funded with the money raised from past Hop-A-Thons. We will be evaluating our equipment to see where the money will be used now and in the years to come.

Thank you again for playing such a big role in the growth and outreach to the children here at Spring City United Methodist Church Mother’s Day Out Program.

In Christ,
Elise Keylon Williams

**MOTHER’S DAY OUT NEWS**

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**THE YOUTH**

**YOUTH MISSION TRIP**

The Youth took a mission trip to The Morgan-Scott Project on April 9 & 10. We had 9 youth and 2 chaperones attend. We distributed over 200 seeds, plants, bags of potatoes and fertilizers to needy families. Morgan and Scott counties are the two poorest counties in Tennessee, and the youth enjoyed being of service to them. Thank you to all the youth for their hard work and to Gary Gilmore for driving the bus, being a chaperone, and putting in all the hard work. We are blessed to have such a wonderful group of young people in our church.

In Christ, Beth Keylon
# Monthly Report Giving & Money Disbursed - March 2010

**INCOME**

- **Contributions**
  - $22,958.36
  - $75,191.57
  - $298,212.00
  - $-233,020.43
- **Mother’s Day Out**
  - 3,600.00
  - 10,084.00
  - 28,100.00
  - 18,016.00
- **Other Income**
  - 65.01
  - 128.30
  - 2,600.00
  - 2,471.70

**TOTAL INCOME**

- $26,623.37
- $85,403.87
- $328,912.00
- $-243,508.13

**EXPENSES**

- **Salaries & Benefits**
  - $12,184.57
  - $38,222.10
  - $149,589.00
  - $-111,366.90
- **Property Maintenance**
  - 6,635.79
  - 18,767.14
  - 62,360.00
  - -43,592.86
- **Office Administration**
  - 740.67
  - 2,736.40
  - 6,950.00
  - -6,913.60
- **Nurture & Music**
  - 730.04
  - -825.88
  - 4,550.00
  - -5,375.88
- **Church & Society**
  - 0.00
  - 20.00
  - 1,250.00
  - -1,230.00
- **Outreach - Mission**
  - 4,780.00
  - 15,920.00
  - 63,283.00
  - -47,363.00
- **Church Support**
  - 1,695.22
  - 2,257.42
  - 4,450.00
  - -2,192.58
- **Children’s Ministry**
  - 143.24
  - 68.88
  - 2,250.00
  - -2,181.12
- **Youth Ministry**
  - 233.63
  - 1,936.62
  - 4,000.00
  - -2,063.38
- **MDO Expenses**
  - 3,834.69
  - 10,725.52
  - 24,230.00
  - -13,504.48
- **Young Adults (18-29)**
  - 295.42
  - 354.91
  - 1,500.00
  - -1,145.09

**TOTAL EXPENSES**

- 31,379.11
- 90,619.79
- 328,912.00
- -238,292.21

**EXCESS INCOME/EXPENSE**

- -$4,755.74
- -$5,215.92
- $0.00
- -$5,215.92

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These figures are a summary of the financial activities for the month of March 2010, showing the income and expenses for various funds, including community ministry, general budget, loan reduction, prayer shawl ministry, and music memorial funds, among others. Each entry indicates the financial transactions and changes for that period.
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The view of our additional parking lot. It is just covered with gravel currently, but we are expecting the parking lot to be paved by middle of May if everything works out according to the plans. The parking lot can be used to park on Sundays while we are waiting.

WELCOME TO SCUMC FAMILY

Jim & Wanda McCarter joined our church family on Easter Sunday. Wanda is transferring her membership from Christ United Methodist Church in Chattanooga, and Jim has joined the church by profession of faith. We are happy to have you in our church family, Jim & Wanda!

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